



Docket No. 60030/JPW/GJG

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Wyatt Paul, et al.

Serial No .: 09/377,502

Examiner: D. Fox

Filed : August 20, 1999

Group Art Unit: 1638

For : PROTEIN COMPLEMENTATION IN TRANSGENIC PLANTS

1185 Avenue of the Americas
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October 17, 2002

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action issued on June 17, 2002 in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the June 17, 2002 Office Action was originally due on September 17, 2002. Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time from September 17, 2002 to October 17, 2002 for responding to the June 17, 2002 Office Action in order to file a Request for Continued Examination.

The required fee for a one-month extension of time is ONE HUNDRED TEN DOLLARS (\$110.00) and a check in this amount is enclosed. Accordingly, with a one-month extension of time, a response to the June 17, 2002 Office Action is now due October 17, 2002.

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No fee, other than the enclosed \$110.00 fee for a one-month extension of time, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Petition. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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